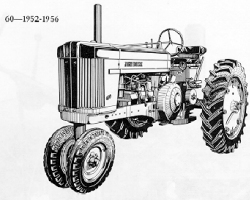


Cascade Two Cylinder Club Newsletter

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**C2CC
Spring General Meeting
April 23, 2016
Wa Tractor-Lynden,
WA**

Coffee & cookies 9:30
General Meeting 10:00

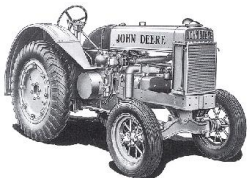
Agenda
Spring and Summer events
Raffle



**2016 C2CC
Plow Day**

**April 30 or May 14
Depending on field
conditions.**

Gail Thulen Farm
La Conner Whitney &
Downey Rd.
9:00 am.
*Call Phil or Paul for
exact date*



Gathering of the Green 2016

Nine C2CC members attended the March 16 to 19 classic John Deere event in Dav-
enport, Iowa. Our group included Gary
Friend, Don McKay, Paul Hieb, Greg
Greenfield, Ray Riggles and Alerd John-
son. Traveling separately were Jim Grove,
Jim Alvshere and Albert Ulrich. As in
past years, Albert (Renaissance Tractor)
was a conference presenter.

The gang of six left Burlington at 4:50 am
on Bellair Shuttle arriving at 7:00 am in
time to go through SeaTac TSA and catch
the 8:30 am Alaska Airlines flight to Chi-
cago O'Hare airport. Once at O'Hare we
rented a van and driver Gary got us to Dav-
enport in time for the 7:00 pm opening ses-
sion of the Gathering of the Green. This
year the conference had a record atten-
dance of 2500 classic John Deere lovers.

In the past the conference sessions empha-
sized two cylinder Deere but there is a
change to include New Generation Deeres.
One of the high lights for our group was a
tour of the Kenny Kass tractor collection
and Waterloo John Deere Museum. Kenny
Kass is considered the world expert on Wa-
terloo Boy tractors and is rumored to have
restored 100. Yes, Kenny knows Ken Lagel
from Lynden, our own Waterloo Boy trac-
tor expert.

Besides Waterloo Boys, the Kass collection
contains many early 1900s tractors; Ru-
mely Oil Pull, Nichol-Shepard, Pioneer,
Aultman & Taylor, Russell, Flour City and
Fairbanks Morse. Kenny's latest project is
a one of a kind American.

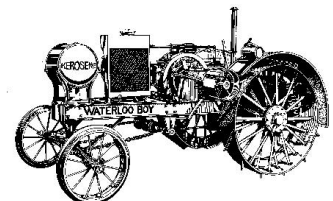
The John Deere Tractor & Engine Museum

is a newly opened Waterloo, Iowa mu-
seum which high lights Deere significant
implements and tractors. Travis Jorde's
1914 Waterloo Boy is on display which
is the oldest Waterloo Boy know to exist.
The museum is built on the site of a his-
toric 1941 Deere manufacturing facility.
If in the area, the museum is well worth
the visit!

Saturday was the last day of the Gather-
ing including tech sessions, last minute
visits to the vender area and evening
banquet. After checking out of our hotel
on Sunday we took a side trip to a
"Red" (International Harvester) tractor
collection in Galva, Illinois. Jerry and
Connie Kuster had an impressive 70 trac-
tor plus collection of mostly 1970's and
newer machines. Jerry had several farm
buildings dedicated to his collection and
a vacant dealership building in the town
of Galva.

On Monday morning, before our flight
home we had a 2 mile walking tour of the
Aurora Caterpillar factory. This 93 acre
plant focused on the wheel loader Cat
models. The largest 988K 541 h.p. model
required 14 low boy truck trailers to
transport to the job site.

After an uneventful flight home to
SeaTac we caught the 7:00 pm Bellaire
shuttle back to Burlington with a lot of
good memories. Hopefully there will an-
other Gathering of the Green in 2018!



Internet Users!

Check out our web site
www.CascadeTwoCylinderClub.org
 for pictures of club
 members in
 local events!

**Need Magnetic
Tractor Signs?**

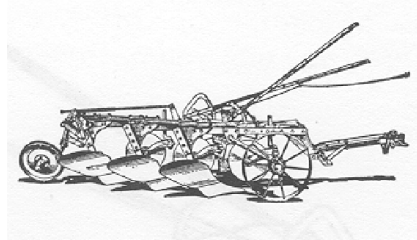
Call Greg Greenfield
 360-661-4632
\$25

Need a Club Jacket?

Call Tom Jensen
 360-661-0634

President's Message

Spring is here and time to get out and get things shaped up. April 2nd we had our shop tour. First we went to Les Gitz's and then to Jim Beuzenberg's place. They both have a fine collection of old tractors, cars, toys and all kinds of good stuff. Thanks for sharing the day with us. Next up is Skagit Gas Up on May 7 at the Skagit County Fair Grounds. Bring your tractors at 9:00 am for display. Plow Day is coming soon. We will be watching our spring weather for the right time. E mail and phone calls will make it happen. Let me know if you can plow. First parade is June 4th in Lynden and then Burlington June 20th and on to Sedro Woolley and Arlington on the 4th of July. Our summer caravan is July 16 to Lopez. This might be the last time we have the chance to caravan Lopez Island. Next meeting will be April 23, 2016 at North Washington Implement in Lynden at 10:00 am. See you at the meeting.
 Paul Hieb, President

**2016 C2CC Spring Plow Day.**

70 plus Acre Field– We need a lot of plows in the ground!

Gail Thulen farm, La Conner Whitney and Downey Road (west of McLean Rd.), La
 Conner, WA

9:00 am

April 30 or May 14 , 2016(depending on field conditions)

Questions? Check with one of the following:

Phil Smoots, 360-466-3030

Paul Hieb 360-856-6210

Small John Deere and large John Deere tractors welcome. Interested in plowing but don't have a plow? Contact Phil or Paul.
 If you don't want to plow but are interested in plowing please stop by to lend your support!

Club Officers and Board Members

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Separating the Wheat from the Chaff

Plowshare is Now Online

You may have been receiving the printed copy of the Deere & Company Plowshare which has been moved to a digital copy only. To continue receiving The Plowshare go to JohnDeere.com/Plowshare and click on "Subscribe to The Plowshare". Each quarter you will receive it to your inbox. The digital form has the capability of being much better with old John Deere films. Unfortunately, if you don't use a online device the old printed copy will be missed.

Tom Jensen's JD 830 in Green Magazine

Tom and his newly restored John Deere 830 is in the March 2016 issue of the Green Magazine. Tom gives the back ground of the tractor and his interest in the only JD 830 ever sold new in Western Washington. Way to go Tom!

Branch 26 Spring Gas Up

May 7, 9:00 am Skagit Valley Fairgrounds This event is shared with the Skagit County Master Gardeners Plant Fair. This is the first show of the year!

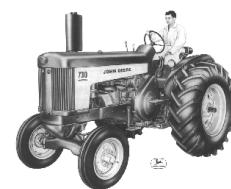
Check out C2CC.org for pictures of club

2016 Caravan Lopez Island

Tom Jensen and Ken Rose are working on our 2016 Caravan returning to Lopez Island. **Saturday, July 16** is the date and we will be "staging" again at the Anacortes Airport.

Things have changed since our last trip to Lopez including a modest parking fee at the Anacortes airport and reservations will be needed for the Washington State Ferry. The lunch at Lopez Island will be a no host event with maybe snacks and drinks provided by our generous club. The return ferry to Anacortes will be earlier allowing us to get our tractors back to the airport before dark. The sun always shines on Lopez Island and the people are friendly!

Washington State Ferry reservations for your tractor need to be made immediately so if interested call Tom Jensen (360) 661-0634. Wagons will be available at the Lopez Island ferry terminal for those wishing to "walk on". Walk on reservation can be made later. More details in the C2CC Summer newsletter. You won't want to miss this one!



Membership Dues

\$15/Year

Please note!**2016 dues due January 1, 2016**

Please send your 2016 dues to **Tom Jensen, 202 Rainbow Drive, Burlington, WA 98233** or bring the money to the next meeting.

*Meeting Minutes*
**Cascade Two Cylinder Club
General Meeting**

Regular meeting held Feb. 6, 2016 at the Sedro Woolley Museum.

Meeting called to order at 10:18 am by Paul Hieb Pres. Reading of previous meetings read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: \$5077.09

The club donated \$100 to the Western Heritage Center Museum in lieu of flowers for Jerry Senner.

Old Business: Bob Peter asked if we could move the Pot Luck date but Paul explained that we are locked into the date for the coming year. Paul contacted the Lynden ag teacher in regards to the JD "M" tractor project. They are interested but not at this time.

New Business Con Holiman gave an interesting talk on tractor restoration anecdotes. He also gave out a sheet that listed some of the suppliers he used in his restoration business. Rick Kiser reported that the Anacortes show may still be alive. Info later. Shop Tour: April 2, 2016. This will be in Whatcom County. We will visit Les Gitts and Jim Beuzenburg. This promises to be an outstanding tour. We will meet at the Cook Road at 9:00 am. Plow day will again be at Thulen Farms in La Conner. Date TBA later. Skagit Gas-Up May 7, 2016 at the Skagit County Fairgrounds. Election: Pres., Treas., and four board members. Alerd Johnson, Greg Greenfield, Con Holiman and Norm teSelle. All were reelected by unamous ballot. Caravan to Lopez Island: July 16, 2016. The plan is to make the 9:10 am sailing to Lopez and return on the 6:20 pm run. Ken Rose said we need to make reserva-

tions early if you want to take your tractor, 60 days in advance if possible in order to be sure of a spot on the ferry. This may be our last trip out there so don't miss it. No-host lunch will be at the Island center. Bring a sack lunch if you wish.

Meeting Adjourned at 11:40 AM
Ray Riggles, Sec.

Meeting Minutes
**Cascade Two Cylinder Club
Board Meeting
March 31, 2016**

Gary Friend's home, Mount Vernon, WA

Meeting called to order at 7:32 pm by Paul Hieb, Pres.
Minutes of previous meetings Not available...

Treasurers Report: \$5435.48. Insurance has been paid. Membership dues are still coming in.

Old Business: Paul indicated that Ken Korthuis's grandson will be taking the John Deere M. A name plate will need to be attached to the tractor with the donor's name. Recipient of tractor will need to show the finished tractor for two years and then the tractor is his. He will need to pay for parts. A progress report will be needed. Club will offer technical assistance and our vender and service list will be provided. He will be a honorary member and receive newsletters. Gathering of the Green was good as usual. We visited Kenny Kass collection, John Deere Waterloo Museum, Jerry and Connie Kuster Red tractor collection and toured the Aurora, Illinois Cat front end loader assembly plant.

New Business: Whatcom county shop tour, tentatively scheduled for April 2nd to visit Les Gitz's shop and Jim Beuzenburg's shop. Gas Up May 7 at the Skagit Valley Fairgrounds. Plow Day maybe April 30 otherwise May 14. We will not plow on Gas Up day. Tom is working with Ken Rose on Caravan to Lopez Island. Tom would like to know by April 11 how many people plan to take a tractor. Reservations need to be made at that time. They can be canceled later. We will take a 9:00 am ferry and be back in Anacortes before dark. Spring meeting is scheduled for April 23 at Lynden Washington Tractor.

Meeting Adjourned 8:35 pm

Attending: Greg Greenfield, Loren Dahl, Paul Hieb, Phil Smoots, Jeff Cowles, Gary Friend, Tom Jensen and Alerd Johnson

Alerd Johnson substituting for Ray Riggles, Secretary

Green & Yellow Want Ads

Please note that want ads will be run one time unless renewed. Ads need to be limited to five lines and will feature John Deere tractors. Other non tractor antiques ok if brief.

For Sale 12 volt generator and regulator for 12 volt tractor, reconditioned, 360-293-7953

For Sale Two new front rims for 6.50x16 tires; two 42" rear rims that have been sand blasted and primed. Call 604-794-7079 or 360-354-3036

For Sale JD 1944 H, hand start, new tires, cast front wheels, SN# 11274 very good condition. \$3600 Marlen (360) 766-6203

For Sale JD 1946 LA, good tires, electric start, very good condition, SN# 12447, Marlen (360) 766-6203

For Sale JD 1944 BR, restored, hand start, good condition. SN# 333201, good tires, \$3500, Marlen (360) 766-6203

For Sale 9.5 x 24 B F Goodrich tire, good shape \$100, Alerd 360-293-7953

For Sale McCormick Deering thresher, will donate to museum or collector who wants to preserve it, David, 360-708-7931

For Sale New 12 volt fuel pump, nozzle & tank, never been used,\$300, Paul Hieb (360) 856-6210

For Sale J.D.. Tire pump chain with hooks and spring \$10 360-354-3036

For Sale Restored rims, sand blasted, de-rusted, primed and painted, one 14x34 and one 12x34. A Johnson 360-293-7953

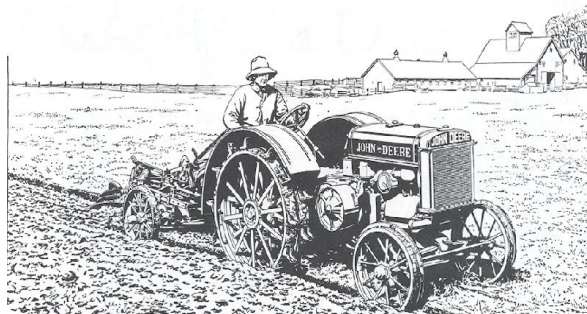
Wanted Articles or ideas for articles for CTCC newsletter

Wanted Your email address so we can get you a quick notice of meetings, events and plow days. Send to webmaster@c2cc.org Alerd Johnson, 360.293.7953, editor@c2cc.org

Wanted Members to mail or email club related pictures/video to webmaster@c2cc.org

Auction Jerry Drescher Estate April 16 ,9 am, 1911 Chesney Rd. East Tacoma WA 98446, preview April 15.

JD As, Ds, G,s Hs, Rs, 60, 730d low hour, 1,2,3,4,&5 gang plows. Many Cadillacs. Matherauctions.com



Cascade Two Cylinder Club web address

www.cascadetwoyylinderclub.org

-Search member/tractor database -All newsletters 1996-today-Events calendar-Pictures and Video 1993-today-Huge collection of web links

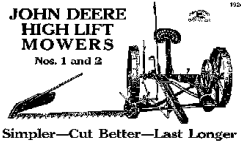
Directory!

When renewing dues please include email address and tractors you want listed in the directory. If you don't wish tractors listed on the web please indicate. You can also update online at www.c2cc.org

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Calendar of Year 2016 Events

- April 23..... Spring C2CC General Meeting, Lynden Wa Tractor
 - April 30 or May 14 C2CC Plow Day
 - May 7..... Branch 26 EDGE&TA Gas Up, Skagit Fair Grounds
 - June 4 Lynden Farmer's Day Parade
 - June 20 Burlington Berry Dairy Day Parade
 - July 4 Sedro Woolley Parade
 - July 4 Arlington Parade
 - July 16 C2CC Caravan, Lopez Island
 - August 3-6 PSAT&MA, Lynden
 - August Sky Valley Show
 - August Bellville Threshing Show
 - September 10 Winthrop Vintage Wheels Show
- For more details on event times and location, contact the club officers or boards members. Phone numbers listed on page 3*



**THERE'S A JOHN DEERE
DEALER NEAR YOU—**

**HE WILL BE GLAD TO GIVE
YOU FURTHER INFORMATION**



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